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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. H. LAWRENCE SANDALL  
Executive Secretary  
Central Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT: Alleged Leaks of Intelligence from the Senate

Attached is a copy of a letter we received July 21, 1987, a copy of which also was sent to you, from Senators Heflin and Rudman. They refer to allegations of leaks by members of the Senate by Administration officials during the past several weeks in news stories and as witnesses before the Iran-Contra Committee.

We request that you ask your staff to prepare and forward a draft response for Mr. Carlucci's signature.

  
Grant S. Green, Jr.  
Executive Secretary

Attachment

Tab A Senators' Ltr to Carlucci  
dated July 21, 1987

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## United States Senate

### SELECT COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

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July 21, 1987

The Honorable Frank Carlucci  
Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Carlucci:

Allegations of leaks of classified material by Members of the Senate made by Administration officials have appeared in the past several weeks in news stories as well as in statements by witnesses before the Select Committees on Secret Military Assistance to Iran and the Nicaraguan Opposition.

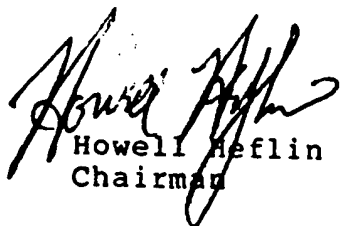
The Select Committee has the authority for investigating unauthorized disclosures of intelligence information. Senate Resolution 400, Section 8 (d) provides that:

It shall be the duty of the Select Committee on Ethics to investigate any unauthorized disclosure of intelligence information by a Member, officer or employee of the Senate in violation of subsection (c) and to report to the Senate concerning any allegation which it finds to be substantiated.

If you or other members of the Administration have information relating to alleged leaks of intelligence information we would appreciate it if you would provide such information to this Committee so that we may fulfill our responsibilities.

With Best Wishes,

Cordially,

  
Howell Heflin  
Chairman

  
Warren B. Rudman  
Vice Chairman

cc: Honorable Edwin Meese, III  
Honorable Caspar W. Weinberger  
Honorable George P. Shultz  
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Honorable William Webster